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PRODUCTION DATA OF EAST CHINA PLANTS AND MINES  
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[Summary: Excluding coal mines and power plants, a total of 114 state-operated, public-private jointly operated, and local state-operated, plants and mines in the East China Administrative Area fulfilled or exceeded their January 1954 production value quotas by an average of 106.2 percent. As compared with the actual over-all production value quota met in December 1953, this quota was only 93.2 percent.

Of the 114 plants, 14 failed to meet their January production value quotas, while only 47 were able to equal or exceed the production value quota met in December 1953.

Excluding machinery and light industry products, the production value quotas of 25 out of 26 major products were exceeded during January 1954. However, quality standards of printed and dyed materials fell below the specifications, although the standards of yarn and cloth were good.]

The following 1954 January production data for the major state-operated, public-private jointly operated, and local state-operated plants and mines in the East China Administrative Area were prepared by the Materiel Reference Section, Business Office No 1, East China Committee of Finance and Economics.

Over-All Production Value Quota

Excluding coal mines and power plants, a total of 114 plants fulfilled their January production quotas by an average of 106.2 percent. Of these plants, 9 under the East China Iron and Steel Company fulfilled their quotas by 115.3 percent; 4 under the East China Business Office Chemical Industry Bureau, Ministry of Heavy Industry, by 114.6 percent; 25 under the East China Business Office, Ministry of Machine Industry, by 110.7 percent; 42 under the East China Textile Industry Control Bureau by 104.2 percent; and 34 under the East China Business Office, Ministry of Light Industry, by 105.2 percent.

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Of these 114 plants, 100 or 87.7 percent fulfilled or exceeded their January production value quotas, while 14 or 12.3 percent failed to meet their quotas. Those plants which failed to meet the quota were (1) five textile mills, all of which are public-private jointly operated mills; (2) six machinery plants, including three shipyards; and (3) three light industry plants.

All the iron and steel works, and chemical plants fulfilled their quotas. Data on five additional plants are not included since no reports have been received from them.

Using the production value quota set for December 1953 as 100, the over-all production value quota set for these plants in January 1954 was 112.6 percent. With the exception of the Textile Control Bureau, which set its January production value quota at only 99.1 percent of the 1953 December quota, all other organs listed above set their January production value quotas in excess of those for December 1953. If the actual production value quota fulfilled in December 1953 is used as 100, the actual over-all production value quota met by these plants in January 1954 was only 93.2 percent. For the plants under the East China Iron and Steel Company, only 96.3 percent of the quota was met; for those plants under the East China Business Office of Chemical Industry Bureau, Ministry of Heavy Industry, 111.1 percent; for those mills under the East China Textile Industry Control Bureau, only 93.9 percent; for those plants under the East China Business Office of the First Ministry of Machine Industry, only 92.3 percent; and for those plants under the East China Business Office of the Ministry of Light Industry, only 91 percent.

Of the 113 [sic] plants, only 47 or 41.6 percent of the plants were able, in January 1954, to equal or exceed the actual production value quota of December 1953. They included 5 iron and steel works, 4 chemical plants, 5 machinery plants, 14 textile mills, and 19 light industry plants.

#### Output of Major Products

Excluding machinery and light industry products, the production goals of 25 out of 26 major products were exceeded in January 1954. The only product for which the goal was not met was caustic soda. Production of these products in percent is as follows: electricity 104.6, coal 108.8, pig iron 154.1, iron sulfide 102.3, steel 108.7, rolled steel 110.3, sulfuric acid 103.5, nitric acid 102.4, caustic soda 97.8, nitrochlorbenzene 111.1, flat rubber belts 108.7, triangular-shaped belts 125.2, cotton yarn -- state-operated mills 104.3, public-private jointly operated mills 101.5, cotton thread 102.3, cotton cloth -- state-operated mills 102, public-private jointly operated mills 102.4, printed and dyed material -- state-operated mills 105.3, public-private jointly operated mills 102.4, coarse wool products 104.3, fine wool products 109.6, industrial felt 209.8, woolen yarn, 100.9 wool blankets 255.7, gunny sacks 108.4, raw silk 107.5, pongee 100.6, silk 133.7, and pongee material 107.8 percent.

#### Quality of Products

The quality of yarn and cloth produced was comparatively good, but for printed and dyed material the standard was far below requirements. On the average, 84.26 percent of the cotton yarn produced met quality specifications. This was an increase of 2.9 percent over the 1953 fourth-quarter average of 81.87 percent and 0.45 percent over the 1953 December average of 83.88 percent. With regard to cotton cloth, 84.86 percent met the standards, which was a slight drop over the 1953 December average of 84.91 percent but higher than the 1953 fourth-quarter average of 84.07 percent. The printed and dyed materials produced only met 94.15 percent of the quality goal set for the month.

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C-O-N-F-I-D-E-N-T-I-A-LPlants Which Equaled or Exceeded the 1953 December Production Value Quota in January 1954

1. Plants under East China Iron and Steel Company: Ma-an-shan Ironworks, Asia Iron and Steel Works, Shanghai Fire Resistant Materials Plant, Hua-feng Iron and Steel Works, and Ching-i Machinery Plant.
2. Plants under East China Business Office, Chemical Industry Bureau, Ministry of Heavy Industry: Shanghai Chemical Plant, T'ien-yuan T'ien-li Plant, Shanghai Acid Plant, and Shanghai Chemical and Pharmaceutical Plant.
3. Plants under East China Business Office, First Ministry of Machine Industry: Nanking Electromagnet Plant, Shanghai Bicycle Plant, Shanghai Electric Welding Plant, Hu-tung Shipyards, and Ch'iu-hsin Shipyards.
4. Mills under East China Textile Industry Control Bureau: Shanghai Cotton Textile Mill No 11, 17, 18, and 20, Shanghai Woolen Mill No 2, Hemp Spinning Section of Shanghai Cotton Textile Mill No 9, Chekiang Hemp Mill, Shanghai Silk Yarn Mill, Shanghai Silk Textile Mill, Shanghai Knitting mill, Printing Shop, Tan-yang Yarn Mill, Yuan-t'ung Dyeing and Weaving Mill, and Hsin-feng Printing and Dyeing Mill.
5. Plants under East China Business Office, Ministry of Light Industry: Shanghai Tobacco Plant No 2, 4, and 5, Shang-yen [presumably Shanghai Tobacco] Printing Shop No 1, Shang-yen [presumably Shanghai Tobacco] Machinery Plant No 1, Ch'in-feng Paper Mill, Li-hua Paper Mill, T'ien-feng Paper Mill, I-min Food Processing Plant No 2, 3, and 4, Shanghai Fats and Oils Plant No 1, 2, and 3, Ta-hua-li Health Food Plant, China Soap Company, Shanghai Drug Manufacturing Plant, Shanghai Glass Factory, and Shanghai Precision Medical Equipment Plant.

Plants Which Fulfilled the January Production Value Quota

1. Plants under East China Iron and Steel Company: Ma-an-shan Ironworks, Asia Iron and Steel Works, Hsin-hu Iron and Steel Works, Shanghai Fire Resistant Materials Plant, Shanghai Steelworks No 1, Shanghai Steelworks No 2, Shanghai Steelworks No 3, Hua-feng Iron and Steel Works, and Ching-i Machinery Plant.
2. Plants under East China Business Office, Chemical Industry Bureau, Ministry of Heavy Industry: Shanghai Chemical Plant, T'ien-yuan T'ien-li Plant, Shanghai Acid Plant, and Shanghai Chemical and Pharmaceutical Plant.
3. Plants under East China Business Office, First Ministry of Machine Industry: Shanghai Electric Machinery Plant, Shanghai Electric Wire Plant, Shanghai Electric Battery Plant, Nanking Lamp Plant, Nanking Electromagnet Plant, Shanghai Bicycle Plant, Shanghai Machine Tool Plant, Shanghai Tool Plant, Nanking Machine Tool Plant, Shanghai Mining Machinery Plant, Shanghai Boiler Plant, Shanghai Steam Turbine Plant, Shanghai Diesel Engine Plant, Chiang-nan Shipyards, Shanghai Hua-t'ung Switch Plant, Shanghai Electric Welding Plant, Wu-hsi Machine Tool Plant, Shanghai Hsin-chung Power Machinery Plant, and Hsin-yeh Electrical Equipment Plant.
4. Mills under East China Textile Industry Control Bureau: Shanghai Cotton Textile Mill No 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, and 20, Shanghai Printing and Dyeing Mill No 1, 2, 4, and 5, Shanghai Woolen Mill No 1, 2, and 3, Shanghai Silk Textile Mill, Shanghai

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5. Plants under East China Business Office, Ministry of Light Industry: Shanghai Tobacco Plant No 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, Shang-yen Plant No 1 and 2, Shang-yeh Machinery Plant No 1, Fu-hsin Tobacco Company, Nan-yang Brothers' Tobacco Company, Ch'in-feng Paper Mill, Li'hua Paper Mill, China Printing Paper Company, T'ien-feng Paper Mill, I-min Food Processing Plant No 1, 2, 3, and 4, Shanghai Fats and Oils Plant No 1 and 2, China Soap Company, Yung-hsing Chemical Company, Sheng-hua Drug Manufacturing Plant, Shanghai Glass Factory, Ming-hsing Household Chemicals Manufacturing Plant, K'o-fa Pharmaceutical Plant, Min-yung Pharmaceutical Plant, Shanghai Precision Medical Equipment Plant, Shanghai Medical Equipment Plant, and Shanghai Drug Manufacturing Plant No 1 and 3.

Plants Which Failed to Fulfill January Production Value Quota

1. Mills under East China Textile Industry Control Bureau: Hsin-ho Textile Mill, Ting-hsin Yarn Mill, Hsin-feng Weaving Mill No 1, Hsin-feng Printing and Dyeing Mill, and Kuang-chung Dyeing and Weaving Mill.

2. Plants under East China Business Office, Ministry of Light Industry: Ta-hua-li Health Food Plant, Shanghai Fats and Oils Plant No 3, and Nanking Pharmaceutical Plant.

3. Plants under East China Business Office, First Ministry of Machine Industry: Shanghai Lamp Plant, Shanghai Electric Meter Plant, Ho fei Mining Equipment Plant, Hu-tung Shipyards, Ch'ing-shi Shipyards, and Chung-hua Shipyards.

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